

03/10/00  
jc678 U.S. PTO

Patterson & Keough, P.A.  
4800 IDS Center  
80 South 8th Street  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-2100  
Telephone: (612) 349-5740  
Facsimile: (612) 349-9266

Attorney Docket No.: 1304.72US02

APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Box PATENT APPLICATION  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

jc678 U.S. PTO  
09/522484  
03/10/00

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the patent application of

INVENTOR(S): Susan Mechache

FOR: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SLEEP SURFACE ADJUSTMENT

Enclosed are:

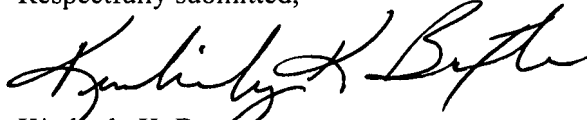
- ☒ Specification and Abstract - 17 pages.
- ☒ Drawings – three (3) sheets (Figs. 1-8).
- ☐ Declaration for United States Patent Application.
- ☐ Small Entity Statement(s).
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☐ Assignment papers.
- ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

| The filing fee has been calculated as shown below: |           |              |                   |              |                   |
|--|-----------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|-------------------|
|  | No. Filed | No. Extra    | Small Entity Rate | OR           | Large Entity Rate |
| Basic Fee  |           |              | \$ 345            | OR           | \$ 690            |
| Total Claims                                       | 25 - 20   | = 5          | x 9 = \$*         | OR           | x 18 = \$90       |
| Independent Claims                                 | 3 - 3     | = 0          | x 39 = \$*        | OR           | x 78              |
| Presence of Multiple Dependent Claim               |           |              | + 130             | OR           | + 260             |
|  |           | <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>\$</b>         | <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>\$ 780.00</b>  |
| **If the difference is less than zero, enter "0"   |           |              |                   |              |                   |

- ☒ This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/123,557, filed March 10, 1999.

- [ ] A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the filing fee and/or an Assignment recordation fee is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to grant any extensions of time and to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required during the entire pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 16-0631.

Respectfully submitted,



Kimberly K. Baxter  
Registration No. 40,504

CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAIL

"Express Mail" mailing label number EL302409771US. Date of Deposit: March 10, 2000. I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Glenda G. Anderson  
Name of Person Making Deposit

Glenda G. Anderson  
Signature